

POLICE HUNT POISONER OF PRELATE'S GUESTS

Assistant Chef Suspected of Causing
Illness of Those at Archbishop
Mundelein's Banquet.

CHICAGO, February 12.—Virulent poison was found today by city chemists in samples of the soup served at the banquet in honor of Archbishop Mundelein at the University Club Thursday night. The discovery, coupled with the disappearance of a kitchen employee of the club and the finding of similar poison in a private laboratory in his room, together with literature classed as anarchistic, led the police to believe that the illness which overcame more than a hundred of the diners was the result of deliberate attempt to poison the guests.

The nature of the poison discovered and fear that perhaps a slow-acting poison had also been mingled with the banquet viand, prompted the city health commissioner, Dr. John D. Robertson, to issue a warning to all who attended the banquet to place themselves immediately under the care of a physician.

Several Are Still Ill.

Several of the distinguished guests were so affected that they have not yet recovered. Two are still confined to their beds and a number of others today said that they still felt the effects of the poison.

Archbishop Mundelein was not affected. He ate very sparingly of the soup and said today that he had not felt any ill effects.

The absence of Jean Cronen, assistant chef at the club, was noted by the manager, H. J. Doherty, and his suspicions were aroused. With a policeman he went to Cronen's room and there discovered the laboratory and found poison asks.

Anarchistic Books Found.

Cronen, according to the club officials, was employed last September and was found of discussing economic questions and was said to have often inveighed against the present order of society with its strata of rich and poor. In the room which he had occupied the police say they found many volumes by anarchistic authors, explosives and weapons, in addition to the poison vials.

He was said by the police to have come to Chicago from St. Louis, and his description was sent to various cities.

Among the guests at the banquet who were affected by the poison were prelates, judges, bankers, noted physicians, representative business men and manufacturers prominent in the affairs of city and nation.

Mr. Francis C. Kelley of the Catholic Church Extension Society, one of the guests at the banquet, said today that he was not yet well.

PUPILS OF THE COLONIAL SCHOOL FOR GIRLS PRESENT PLAY FOR BENEFIT OF WAR ORPHANS.



The play was presented at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Alexander Graham Bell. Those who took part included Margaret Ellen Gamble, Letta Remick Gallup, Edna Louise Kohnmann, Isabel Grier Polk, Lucia Pope Hackley, Marjorie Asemann Dewey, Helen Pauline Lenon, Madeline Birchard Green, Opal Naomi Hillard, Irene Barlow Sayre, Beatrice Susan Tranzott, Gwendolyn Pearson, Martha May Gamble, Martha Virginia Niemann, Margaret Lillian Allen, Ruth Huddah Crawford, Wilhelmina Helena Lamont, Louise Ehrhardt, Louise Seage, Florence Gibson Bradner, Charlotte Anna Hommel and Alma Hamrick.

OUSTERS OF TWO MAYORS UPHELD; ONE KEEPS OFFICE

Memphis Court Case Complicated by
Re-Election to Office Before
Proceedings Started.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., February 12.—The Tennessee supreme court today handed down decisions of interest all over Tennessee.

In the ouster case against Hilary E. Howe, former mayor of Nashville, and serving on his third term, then suspended under ouster proceedings July 27, and ousted by circuit court decree November 30, the judgment was affirmed. The charges under which he was ousted included waste of the city money, loose management and disregard of law.

The supreme court affirmed the circuit court decree reinstating Robert Elliott as commissioner of water works of Nashville.

The court also decided the Memphis ouster cases, involving Mayor E. H. Crump and Fire and Police Commissioner B. A. Utley. The charges against them were failing to enforce the prohibition laws. They were ousted November 3 by chancery decree on plea of guilty entered "to expedite on appeal" to the supreme court.

The cases of Crump and Utley differed from the Nashville cases, the two defendants having previous to the ouster proceedings been re-elected for new terms, beginning January 1 last. The supreme court sustained their ouster from office, but held that the proceedings did not apply to their new terms.

Both Howe and Crump have been powers in Tennessee politics for several years.

Big Shake-Up Expected.

MEMPHIS, February 12.—The opinion of the supreme court holding that the ouster of Mayor E. H. Crump and others in the city government of Memphis did not extend to their new terms beginning January, 1916, to which they were re-elected in April, 1915, was received with wide-spread interest here today.

Mayor Crump announced that he would consult his attorneys as to plans for assuming office at the earliest moment. The court's decision is expected to result in a general shake-up in the city government, only one member of the commission as it exists today having been elected by the people.

He was arrested in Philadelphia, an indictment having been returned against him in this city, and he consented to return and meet the charge. It is probable that he will be turned over to the marshal tomorrow morning, unless bond for his appearance is given before that time.

GIRL PRATTLES TO PRESIDENT.

Becomes Speechless When She
Learns He Is Executive.

An interesting story is told of the visit of the President and Mrs. Wilson to old Polish Church one Sunday not long ago. The presidential party was somewhat late in reaching the church, and the only person found there was a little girl, the daughter of a resident of the Polish neighborhood. The girl talked interestingly to the President, and gave the history of the church and what the congregation proposed to do in the way of improving it, until she found to whom she was talking. Then she became so abashed that her tongue failed her, and her flow of information was brought to a premature close. It is stated the President was much amused at the incident.

Complains of Golden Rule.

Golden Rule, a printer, giving his age as thirty-five years and his address as 57 W street northwest, was brought here from Philadelphia yesterday afternoon to answer a charge of alleged failure to support his family.

Oil Ignited; Boy Burned.

While playing near a fire in the neighborhood of 26th and I streets northwest yesterday afternoon, George Nook, colored, twelve years old, sustained burns about his face and hands. It is stated that a can of oil ignited. The boy's burns were dressed at Emergency Hospital.

League Plans Theater Party.

The Woman's League of the National Junior Republic has arranged a theater party Tuesday evening for the benefit of the home at Annapolis Junction. Mrs. Paul Warburg, Mrs. William E. Kent, Mrs. William Fendall and Mrs. J. J. Thornburgh have taken boxes. Mrs. Mary Lockwood, Miss Solomons, Miss Porter and Mrs. James McNabb have charge of the affair. Meeting of the executive board of the league will be held Friday, February 13, at 4:30 o'clock.

Night Registry Station Opened.

Washingtonians may now register mail at any hour during the day or night. A night station has been established at the post office, which is open from 9 p.m. to 8 a.m. daily, thus completing the facilities for the purchase of stamps, registration of mail and for the transaction of money-order business. This station is open Sundays and holidays also.

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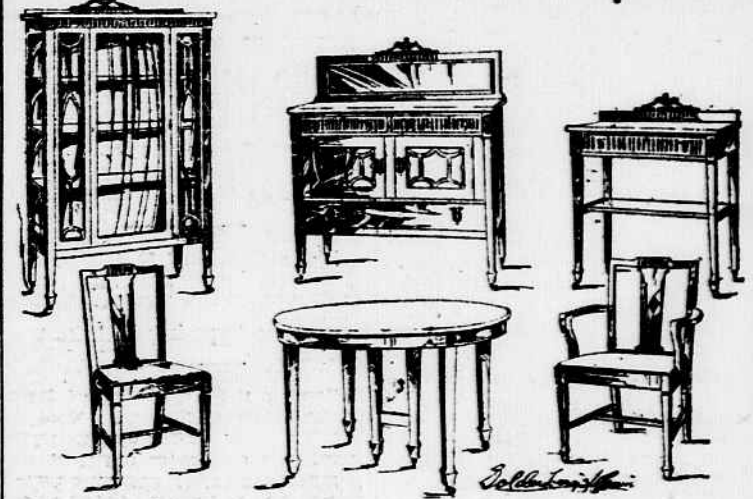
February Furniture Sale Going at Top Speed!

This great event takes on fresh impetus tomorrow, with the addition of scores of new lots of High-grade Furniture priced in a way that emphasizes the position of this Furniture Store as leaders in value-giving. Price—compare—shop around. The more comparisons you make the keener your appreciation of the character, quality and price reasonableness of Goldenberg Furniture.

Let us "Charge It" and pay the bill at your convenience, while enjoying the advantages of our low cash prices.

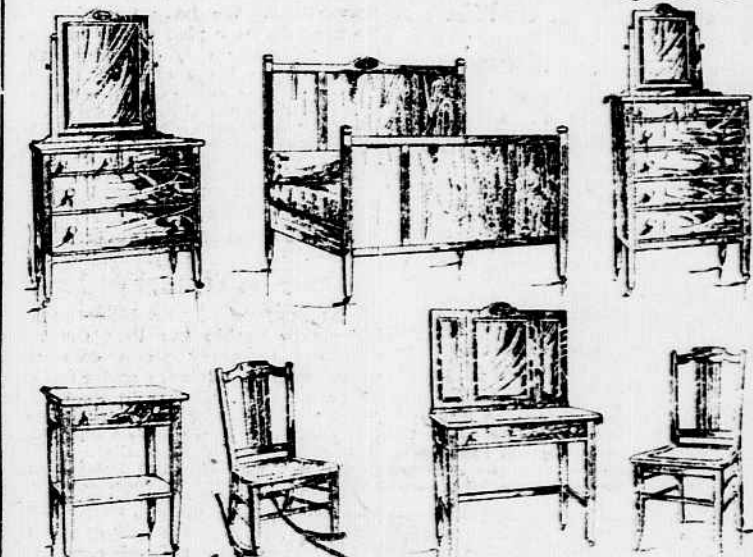
10-Piece Dining Room Suites \$144

Regular Price \$186. Actual Saving of \$42



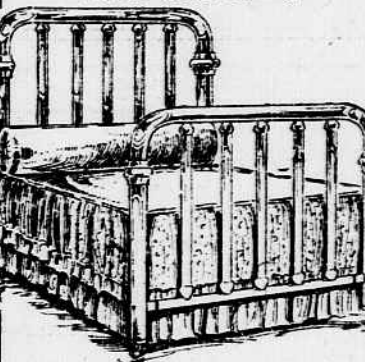
High-grade Dining Room Suite of ten pieces, in wax oak finish; very solid and massive. Seats of chairs covered with genuine Spanish leather. A new and decidedly attractive suite built for lifetime service.

\$86 Bedroom Suite of Seven \$59



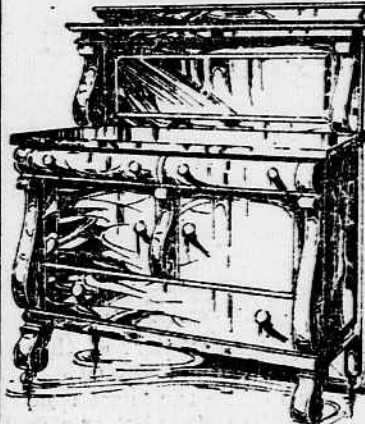
Solid Oak Bedroom Suite of seven pieces, in Scotch gray finish; one of the most popular styles of the present. Consisting of Bed, Chiffonier, Dresser, Dressing Table, Rocker and two Chairs.

Brass Bed Outfit
Regular \$29.50
Value \$19.50
Actual \$10.00 Saving



A Brass Bed Outfit of exceptional merit. Make your own selection from our regular stock. The outfit consists of:
\$16.50 Brass Bed (the famous Simmons make)
\$8.00 Sautery Elastic Felt Mattress
\$5.00 10-year Guaranteed Metal Springs
The articles are marked in plain figures, and are taken from our regular stock and reduced for this special sale. Actual \$29.50 value for \$19.50.

\$29.50 Quartered Oak
Buffet, \$21.00



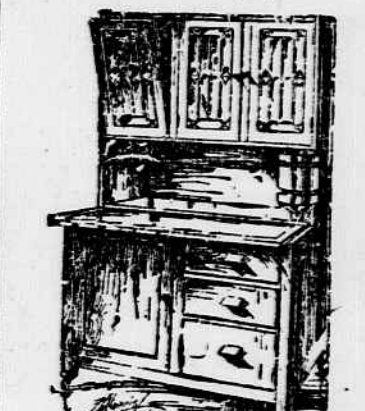
Handsome Quartered-Oak Buffet, in the popular Colonial design. Highly finished and substantially made to give lasting service and satisfaction.

\$4.85 Fumed Oak Rocker \$2.98



Large and Comfortable Fumed-Oak Rocker, with imitation Spanish leather seat. Well constructed and nicely finished.

Kitchen Cabinets, \$13.98

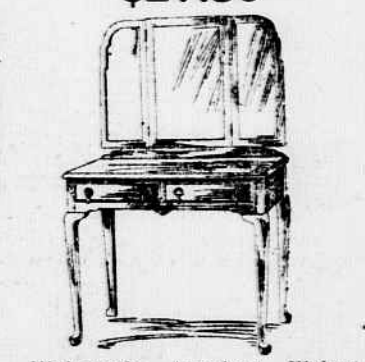


Every possible convenience and labor-saving attachment shown in this Kitchen Cabinet—all the features of these costing double are here. Enamelled lining, nickel-plated sliding top—complete in every detail.

Tabouret With This COUPON 29c



\$39.50 Dressing Tables \$27.50



High-grade American Walnut Dressing Table, with triple mirror. Beautifully finished and a most pleasing addition to the bedroom or boudoir.

OIL MOPS With This COUPON 12 1/2c



500 Cedar Oil Mops, with steel band and long handles; good size. On sale in our Furniture Store with this coupon, at 12 1/2c each. (8)

Sterling Silver Souvenirs FREE

You do not need to make a purchase to get one of these beautiful sterling silver souvenirs. They are a gift to you from the big new Sewing Machine Section of Goldenberg's. We are giving them away absolutely free because we want you to see this wonderful department. All you have to do is to visit the Sewing Machine Section on the third floor, where a courteous attendant will hand you one of them. These Sterling Silver Thimbles are worth coming for; they sell for 25c in jewelry stores. None to children.

A WONDERFUL SALE OF Sewing Machines

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\$30 GRANT Machines	\$17.35

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The department itself is splendidly appointed, brilliantly lighted, cozy and comfortable—a thing of beauty. Every modern convenience for the proper exhibition and sale of Sewing Machines has been installed.

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